



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Sievänen et al.

Application No.: 09/868,244

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Art Unit: 3711

Examiner: W. Pierce

Title: CONSTRUCTION ELEMENT FOR A BOWLING LANE AND A BOWLING LANE

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

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Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450

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Sir:

In response to the final office action issued August 4, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: